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I, James A. Finder, of Ostrolenk, Faber, Gerb & Soffen, LLP, with offices at 1180

Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036-8403, represent that I am a representative authorized to sign on behalf of the assignee identified below owning all of the interest in this application.

Credit card payment for the required filing fee of \$130.00 is being submitted via EFS-WEB.

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The assignee, having 100 percent interest in the instant application, is:

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### Recordal of Assignment in PTO

The assignment was recorded on <u>February 21, 2006</u>, at Reel <u>017907</u>, Frame <u>0345</u>. Said document has been reviewed and, to the best of the assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee.

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